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Applicant: Barry Allen Thomas BROWN et al.  
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**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CLAIM OF PRIORITY**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reviewing the above-captioned application file upon allowance, the undersigned has noted that the priority document, submitted with original applications papers on December 6, 2000, has not been acknowledged by the Patent and Trademark Office in this case.

The Patent and Trademark Office is, therefore, kindly requested to provide the undersigned with acknowledgement of the priority document in this application at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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